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 EVAPORATOR AND NOVEL  
 SWITCHING CONCEPT FOR A  
 HEAT PUMP IN A VENTILATING  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination, kindly amend the above-captioned application as follows: